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A PAIR OF PROBES FOR ANALYZING  
PROTEIN-PROTEIN INTERACTION AND  
A METHOD FOR ANALYZING  
PROTEIN-PROTEIN INTERACTION USING  
THE SAME  
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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

**Prior to calculating the filing fee, please amend the above-identified application as follows:**